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Art Unit	3629
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COMMUNICATION WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

A Final Office Action issued on December 15, 2006, in connection with the above-identified application. The Office Action stated that if a first reply is filed within two months of mailing date of the final office action and the advisory action is not mailed until after the end of the three month shortened statutory period, then the shortened statutory period will expire on the date the advisory action is mailed and any extension fee will be calculated from the mailing date of the advisory action.

An Amendment was filed on February 15, 2007 within two months of the final Office Action. In response an Advisory Action was issued on March 21, 2007, after the March 15, 2007 end of the shortened statutory period. The RCE is being filed within one month

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of the Advisory Action, i.e. by April 21, 2007. Accordingly, no extension of time is required. However, in the event an extension is needed, applicant hereby requests an extension of time, for responding to the December 15, 2007, Final Office Action in order to file a Request for Continued Examination.

No fee, other than the RCE fee of \$790.00 is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this RCE. However, if any addition fee is required, authorization is given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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